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Application of:

Christopher M. Benson

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Serial No.: 10/010,983

Examiner: J. Kramer

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For: CLUSTERING OF RETAIL TERMINALS

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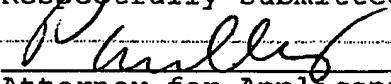
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated June 2, 2004, which finally rejects claims 6-13. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. An extension of one month is requested to file this Notice of Appeal, based upon a time period of greater than three months but less than four months from October 20, 2003, the date of the final rejection.
 Charge to Deposit Account No. 14-0225.
2. Appeal fee amount: \$330.00
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 Not required (fee paid in prior appeal).
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Respectfully submitted,


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